

“Provided” in line seven, the following: “by straightening the very short bends in said stream and cleaning of timber from the banks as far as is necessary for successfully carrying out the provisions of this chapter.”

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 9th day of February, A. D. 1885.

CHAPTER 42.

An act to amend sub-division five of section nine hundred and eighty-five of the Code.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Burning grass or
sedge on land in-
dictable.

SECTION 1. That sub-division five of section nine hundred and eighty-five of the Code be amended by inserting after the word “doors,” the words, “grass or sedge standing on the land.”

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 9th day of February, A. D. 1885.

CHAPTER 43.

An act to prevent fast riding across bridges in Chatham county.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Fast riding or
driving over cer-
tain bridges in
Chatham county
indictable.

SECTION 1. That any person riding or driving across any bridge which crosses Haw river, Deep river, Rocky